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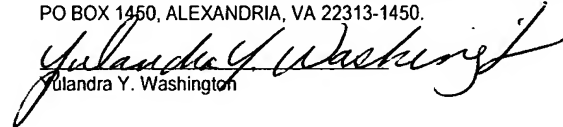
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This communication is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed September 26, 2006, requiring restriction of certain claims within the subject application. Specifically, the Examiner has divided the currently pending claims into Group I, claims 1-18, drawn to a dough with lobes, sections, portions, classified in class 426, subclass 496, Group II, claims 19-28, drawn to another dough product with increase volume, classified in class 426, subclass 549, and Group III, claims 29-35, drawn to dough with fissures, classified in class 426, subclass 144.

Applicants hereby elect to prosecute Group I, claims 1-18, drawn to a dough with lobes, sections, portions. This election is made without traverse. Please withdraw claims 19-35 without prejudice. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the list of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.